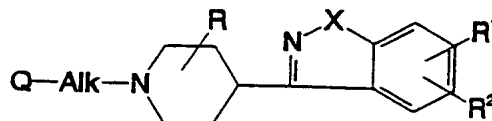


# Abstract of the Disclosure

The invention relates to a <sup>method of treating psychotic disorders</sup> pharmaceutical composition comprising a biodegradable and biocompatible microparticle composition comprising a 1,2-benzazole of the formula



and the pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof, wherein

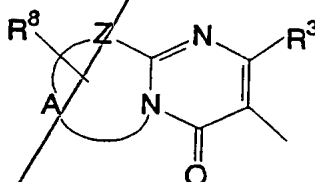
R is hydrogen or alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms;

R<sup>1</sup> and R<sup>2</sup> are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halo, hydroxy, alkyloxy of 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and C alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms;

X is O or S;

Alk is C<sub>1-4</sub> alkanediyl; and

Q is a radical of formula



wherein

R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen or alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms;

Z is —S—, —CH<sub>2</sub>—, or —CR<sup>4</sup>=CR<sup>5</sup>—; where R<sup>4</sup> and R<sup>5</sup> are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen or alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms;

A is a bivalent radical —CH<sub>2</sub>—CH<sub>2</sub>—, —CH<sub>2</sub>—CH<sub>2</sub>—CH<sub>2</sub>— or CR<sup>6</sup>=CR<sup>7</sup>—; where R<sup>6</sup> and R<sup>7</sup> are independently selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halo, amino or alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and